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Attorney Docket No.: 0186-13

First Inventor or Application Identifier: Takao Ogawa; Ryo Sakurai, and Noribumi Tachihara

Title: Light Shielding Blade Material for Optical Apparatus

Express Mail Label No.

APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

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- Cross References to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
- Reference to Microfiche Appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings *(if filed)*
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)

3. Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) Total Sheets [5]

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7. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

8. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
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(when there is an assignee)

10. English Translation Document *(if applicable)*

11. Information Disclosure Statement [] Copies of IDS
(IDS)/PTO-1449

12. Preliminary Amendment

13. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)

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			138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute public use proceeding	
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